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Applicant: James A. Parker et al.
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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.48 TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

In reviewing allowed claims of the application prior to issuance, Applicants determined that there was an error in the inventorship designation. The inventorship error was made without deceptive intent. The application presently designates the following seven inventors:

James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith.

The correct designation of inventors is as follows (four inventors):

James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr. and Robert M. Hussey

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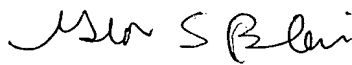
1. A statement from each person being added or deleted that the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent. (Exhibits A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
2. A declaration from each actual inventor under 37 CFR §1.63 declaring that he believes himself to be an inventor (Exhibits A, B, C, D and E). The declaration from the actual inventors incorporate the statement required by No. 1.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the inventorship be changed as requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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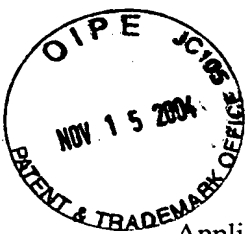


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DECLARATION OF ACTUAL INVENTOR
EXHIBIT A

1. I, Michael A. Ehrhart, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith.

The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., and Robert M. Hussey

2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.

3. I declare that I believe that I am the first inventor or an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Reprogrammable Optical Reader.

9/21/04
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MA Ehrhart
Michael A. Ehrhart



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**DECLARATION OF ACTUAL INVENTOR
EXHIBIT B**

1. I, Robert M. Hussey, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., and Robert M. Hussey
2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.
3. I declare that I believe that I am the first inventor or an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Reprogrammable Optical Reader.

September 22, 2004

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Robert M. Hussey

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**DECLARATION OF ACTUAL INVENTOR
EXHIBIT C**

1. I, Thomas J. Koziol, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., and Robert M. Hussey

2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.

3. I declare that I believe that I am the first inventor or an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Reprogrammable Optical Reader.

7-17-04
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Thomas J. Koziol
Thomas J. Koziol



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**DECLARATION OF ACTUAL INVENTOR
EXHIBIT D**

1. I, Andrew Longacre, Jr., understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., and Robert M. Hussey
2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.
3. I declare that I believe that I am the first inventor or an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Reprogrammable Optical Reader.

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Andrew Longacre Jr.
Andrew Longacre, Jr.



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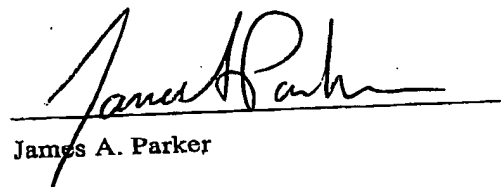
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DECLARATION OF ACTUAL INVENTOR
EXHIBIT E

1. I, James A. Parker, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre Jr., Robert M. Hussey and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas J. Koziol, Michael A. Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., and Robert M. Hussey
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James A. Parker



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DECLARATION OF DELETED INVENTOR
EXHIBIT F

1. I, Jeffrey Pine, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas Koziol, Michael Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., Robert M. Hussey, and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas Koziol, Michael Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., and Robert M. Hussey.
2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.

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Date

Jeffrey Pine
Jeffrey Pine



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DECLARATION OF DELETED INVENTOR
EXHIBIT G

1. I, George S. Smith, understand that there has been an inventorship designation error in the above application and that a petition is being filed to change the inventorship designation in the above application from: James A. Parker, Jeffrey Pine, Thomas Koziol, Michael Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., Robert M. Hussey, and George S. Smith. The correct designation of inventors is as follows: James A. Parker, Thomas Koziol, Michael Ehrhart, Andrew Longacre, Jr., and Robert M. Hussey.
2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent.

September 15, 2004

Date

George S. Smith

George S. Smith